



ABSTRACT

In a pointing ~~device (1), device,~~ strain sensors ~~(7A-7D) sensors~~ are formed on a sensor ~~substrate (2) substrate~~ at positions partially overlapping with a lower surface of a fixed ~~part~~ ~~(5) part~~ of a stick ~~member (3) member~~ so that a portion of the ~~substrate (2) substrate~~ in which the largest stress concentrates by operation of an operating ~~part (4) part~~ of the stick ~~member (3) member~~ overlaps with each strain sensor ~~(7A-7D) sensor~~. When such pointing ~~device + device~~ is installed on a notebook-sized personal ~~computer (20), computer,~~ the stick ~~member (3) member~~ is operated to move a ~~cursor (K) cursor~~ displayed on a liquid crystal ~~display (23) display~~. Accordingly, the ~~cursor (K) cursor~~ can accurately be moved by operation of the stick member with good operability.